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## PRESS RELEASE

Date/Time of Release: Thursday, August 3, 2006 2 p.m.  
Date/Time of Occurrence: Thursday, August 3, 2006  
Nature of Event: Search & Rescue Fund-raising Drive  
Location of Call: Lake Tahoe, Placer County  
Released by: Dena Erwin (530) 889-6922

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### **SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:**

The Placer County Sheriff Department's Search and Rescue is currently holding its annual telemarketing fund-raising drive in the Lake Tahoe area. Search and Rescue volunteer teams assist the Sheriff's Department in many ways, most recently spending days searching for several lost hikers during the extreme heat wave.

This year, Search and Rescue is hoping to purchase mobile communications equipment, as well as new snowmobiles to replace the aging machines they currently use in winter rescues. Search and Rescue teams are made up of deputy sheriffs and dozens of dedicated community volunteers.

Telephone solicitors are currently calling Placer County residents to ask for donations. Anyone wishing to make a donation will be sent a pre-addressed envelope. Callers will not ask for credit card information. Donations should only be sent to the following addresses: P.O. Box 4150, Auburn, CA 95604 or P.O. Box 1710, Tahoe City, CA 96145.

For further information, contact Search and Rescue Community Services Officer Katrina Kane at (530) 889-7846.